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Preliminary Amendment: ABSTRACT AMENDMENTS

On page 12, please amend the paragraph as follows:

The ~~invention concerns a~~ device for packaging continuous webs-(B) of material, such as selvages generated on thermoforming units, ~~comprising means for regulating~~ includes an input regulator of webs-(B), ~~means (1) for guiding and driving~~ guide for the webs-(15), ~~as well as means (2) for, a~~ cutting unit and, downstream thereof, ~~means (3) for collecting a collector for~~ bits of webs-(B). The cutting ~~means (2) consist of~~ unit has at least a blade actuated imparted with a reciprocating movement co-operating with a cutting block, and the ~~guiding and driving means (1) are~~ guide is associated with ~~means (21) for conveying a conveyor~~ by air stream for the webs-(B), preceding immediately the blade and ~~said the~~ cutting block.